APPENDIX

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 9th of April, 2003, the following order was made and entered:

State of West Virginia, Plaintiffs Below,
Respondent

vs.) No. 022194

William R. Adkins, Defendant Below,
Petitioner

On a former day, to-wit, October 28, 2002, came the petitioner, William R. Adkins, by William B. Richardson, Jr., Richardson, Richardson & Campbell, his attorney, and presented to the Court his petition praying for an appeal from a judgment of the Circuit Court of Jackson County, rendered on the 23rd day of May, 2002, with the record accompanying the petition.

Upon consideration whereof, the Court is of opinion to and doth hereby refuse said petition for appeal. Chief Justice Starcher and Justice Albright would grant.

A True Copy

Attest: /s/ Illegible
Clerk, Supreme Court of Appeals